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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. '1.114**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on June 1, 2007, which is due for response by Tuesday September 4, 2007 since September 1, 2007 is on a Saturday and Monday September 3, 2007 is a statutory holiday (Labor Day). Any fees required in entering this response may be charged to Applicants' deposit account, 09-0456.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections and reexamination of the present application in light of the following remarks and amendments. No new matter has been included.